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By ECF

Hon. Kenneth M. Karas  
United States District Judge  
United States Courthouse  
300 Quarropas Street  
White Plains, New York 10601-4150

Re: Ceara v. Doe  
Index No. 13 Civ. 06023 (KMK)

Dear Judge Karas:

I write, respectfully, to request that the status conference schedule for April 19, 2023, at 12:00 pm (ECF No. 192), be adjourned for thirty days, or to a date past May 19, 2023, to allow the parties time to explore settlement. One of the issues impacting settlement negotiations in this matter is the status of Plaintiff's WDNY case, Ceara v. Dowley, 15-cv-6266(FPG)(MWP). Counsel for Plaintiff in both matters, Amy J. Agnew, has recently conveyed a settlement demand in the Dowley matter and the Assistant Attorney General handling that matter is in the process of drafting a settlement demand for review by the New York State Department of Corrections and Community Supervision. We hope that that process will be completed within thirty days.

I have conferred with Ms. Agnew about this request for an adjournment and she has consented to it.

Granted. The conference is adjourned to 5/ 31 /  
23, at 11:30

So Ordered.

4/17/23

cc: Amy Agnew, Esq (by ECF)

Respectfully submitted,

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